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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY MADRID

AMEMBASSY RABAT

INFO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 059674

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, SP, MO, UR

SUBJECT: SPANISH INQUIRY RE MOROCCAN- USSR RELATIONS

REF: STATE 54662

1. SPANISH EMBOFF CALLED ON DEPT ( MOROCCAN DESK) MARCH 30  
TO REITERATE SPANISH CONCERNS REGARDING DEVELOPMENT OF  
MOROCCAN- SOVIET RELATIONS ( PARA 1 A REFTEL). HE SAID GOS  
HAD THUS- FAR- UNCONFIRMED INTELLIGENCE REPORT THAT MOROCCO  
HAD AGREED TO ESTABLISHMENT OF SOME SORT OF SOVIET NAVAL  
FACILITIES AT TANGIER, AGADIR AND UNSPECIFIED THIRD PORT  
ON MOROCCAN COAST.

2. DEPTOFFREPLIED WE HAD NOTICED SIGNIFICANT INCREASE  
IN SOVIET FLEET VISITS TO MOROCCAN PORTS OVER PAST YEAR  
BUT WE HAD NO INFORMATION ABOUT POSSIBLE ESTABLISHMENT  
SOVIET NAVAL FACILITIES. WHILE WE CONTINUED TO DOUBT  
STRONGLY THAT GOM WOULD MAKE CONCESSION OF THIS NATURE  
TO SOVIETS, WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
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SPANISH MIGHT OBTAIN ON SUBJECT. WE WOULD KEEP GOS  
INFORMED IN TURN, HE SAID. RUSH

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